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KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

TRAFFIC SIGNAL
SPECIFICATIONS

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3.2.21.4. ACCEPTANCE. Before final fabrication and shipment, the manufacturer or supplier shall provide, for the Engineer's approval, a layout of each sign showing the exact street name lettering to be placed on the sign. The signs shall be visually accepted by the Engineer.

3.2.22.1. ACCEPTANCE. Regulatory signs included in the Traffic Signal Installation bid item will be accepted in accordance with Section 3.3. of these specifications, with additional certification certification stating that the retroreflective sheeting used to manufacture the signs was pre-qualified under Subsection 2201 of the Standard Specifications.

3.2.24. ENTRANCE HEAD. The entrance head shall be of cast aluminum and shall be of the clamp-on type for use with rigid conduit of the specified in the Plans. It shall be U.L. listed.

3.2.26. CIRCUIT BREAKERS. The circuit breakers shall be standard plug-in, single pole, molded case, of the trip rating as shown in the Plans.

3.2.28. GROUND ROD CLAMP. The ground rod clamp shall be a 19 mm clamp cast of high strength copper alloy and be U.L. listed for direct burial.

3.2.29. SERVICE WIRE. The service wire shall be Type USE-2 standard, annealed, copper wire meeting the requirements of A.S.T.M. B-8, and be of the size specified in the Plans.

3.2.30. LIGHTING DISTRIBUTION WIRE. The lighting distribution wire shall be Type USE-2 stranded, annealed, copper wire meeting the requirements of A.S.T.M. B-8, and be of the size specified in the Plans.

3.2.31. POLE & BRACKET WIRE. The pole and bracket wire shall be Type USE-2 stranded, annealed, copper wire meeting the requirements of A.S.T.M. B-8, and be of the size specified in the Plans.

3.2.32. GROUND WIRE. The ground wire shall be No. 6 AWG solid bare copper wire meeting the requirements of A.S.T.M. B-3.

3.2.33. MULTICONDUCTOR CABLE. The multiconductor cable shall meet the requirements of IMSA 19-1 or IMSA 20-1. Conductors shall be stranded No. 14 AWG. The number of conductors shall be as indicated in the Plans.

3.2.34. SHIELDED DETECTOR LEAD-IN CABLE. Shielded detector lead-in cable shall meet the requirements of IMSA 50-2. Conductors shall be No. 14 AWG.

3.2.35.DETECTOR LOOP WIRE. The detector loop wire shall meet the requirements of IMSA 51-5. The conductor shall be No. 14 AWG, and the tube shall be of polyethylene.

antifreeze solution, brake fluid, deicing chemicals and salt in such manner that the performance of the detector loop is not adversely affected. The loop sealant shall provide compressive yield strength to withstand normal vehicular traffic and prevent the intrusion of rocks, glass, and other road debris into the slot. It shall remain sufficiently flexible at all normally encountered temperatures to withstand normal movement in asphalt and concrete pavements while protecting the loop wire from fracture and shear.

3.2.37. PRE-FORMED LOOPS. Pre-formed loops shall be factory assembled loops having the dimensions and number of turns of wire specified in the Plans. The loops shall be constructed of a minimum No. 16 AWG Type TFFN/THWN copper wire meeting the requirements of A.S.T.M. B-8, and encased in heavy duty tubing compatible with the paving material being used on the project. The tubing shall be completely filled with asphalt sealant material after the wire is installed. The loop tail shall be of flexible tubing of the length specified in the Plans and shall also be filled with asphalt sealant material. The detector wire within the loop tail shall be twisted a minimum of 10 turns per meter.

3.2.38. CONDUIT.

3.2.38.1.METALLIC CONDUIT AND FITTINGS. Metallic conduit shall be galvanized rigid steel conduit meeting the requirements of A.N.S.I. C80.1. Metallic conduit fittings shall be zinc coated and shall meet the requirements of A.N.S.I. C80.4.

3.2.38.2. PVC CONDUIT AND FITTINGS. PVC conduit shall be either Schedule 40 or Schedule 80 rigid polyvinyl chloride meeting the requirements of the latest edition of N.E.M.A. Standard TC-2. PVC conduit fittings shall meet the requirements of N.E.M.A. Standard TC-3 and shall be fabricated from polyvinyl chloride having the same chemical and physical properties as the conduit with which it is to be used. The conduit and fittings shall bear the U.L. label.

3.2.38.3. POLYETHYLENE CONDUIT Polyethylene conduit shall be coailable, smooth wall, Schedule 40 or Schedule 80, high density polyethylene duct meeting the requirements of N.E.M.A. Standard TC-7.

3.2.39.EXPANSION FITTINGS. Expansion fittings shall be as detailed in the Plans.

3.3. BASIS OF ACCEPTANCE. Acceptance of materials furnished under these specifications will be based upon the following:

3.3.1. PRE-QUALIFICATION The Bureau of Traffic Engineering maintains a list of Pre-Qualified Traffic Signal Materials. Any product called for in the Bill of Materials in the Plans that is being furnished for the project must be on that list, or must be approved as noted in Section 3.3.2.1 of these specifications. A manufacturer or supplier intending to supply traffic signal materials under these specifications shall submit an original copy of any catalog cuts, shop drawings, drawings, and/or data sheets on the material, and certification from the manufacturer or fabricator certifying that the material meets the applicable specifications. This information shall be submitted to the Bureau of Traffic Engineering, 217 SE 4th Street, 4th Floor, Topeka, KS 66603-3504.

3.3.2. **TRAFFIC SIGNAL MATERIALS LIST.** Items on the list shall include all items for which quantities are indicated in the Bill of Materials in the Plans. The list shall include the make, model and other descriptive data as may be required by the Engineer to identify the product. The Contractor shall sign the list certifying that the materials on the list, if approved, will be furnished for the project. The Engineer will compare the items on the Traffic Signal Materials List to the Pre-Qualified Traffic Signal Materials List. If all of the items match, the Engineer will sign the list attesting that the materials are approved for use on the project. A copy of the list shall then be forwarded to each of the following: Chief of Materials and Research, Chief of Traffic Engineering, and the Maintaining Agency's contact person indicated in the Plans.

3.3.2.1. In the event the Contractor wishes to furnish any item that is not on the pre-qualified list, the Contractor shall furnish the Engineer with the information for pre-qualification per Section 3.3.1 of these specifications. This information will be forwarded to the Bureau of Traffic Engineering for review and approval, and the possible addition to the pre-qualified list.

3.3.3. VISUAL INSPECTION. Items will be visually inspected by the Engineer at the job site for condition and conformance with the requirements of these specifications.

3.3.4. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS. There are additional requirements noted for specific items under Section 3.2. of these specifications.

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